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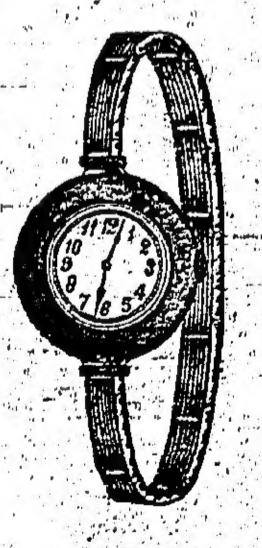
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sarned for itself fresh bonours. The following extracts are sent by the New

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"The stupendous bombardment preceding

the attack was already in progress when the Legionnaires arrived at their camp a

short distance behind the French lines, The camp was in a hilly, sparsely-wooded

district between Souain and Perthes-less

Hurlus. The French batteries rained

As the Colonials left, the German first

out. I am an old Legionnaire." Towards

rain began falling and lasted all night.

The same crawling advance, always

under shell-fire, was continued throughout

the day of the 28th. Fresh troops had

relieved the Colonials during the night,

Smoke bombs were dropped, indicating

their position, and a heavy shalling of the

woods followed: Many men were killed,

Whole sections fall as if mowed down by

ROLLED ALONG LIES LEAVES.

Of the battalion leading the assault only

goal wees few in number, hat enough to

clear out and conquer the position. Reinforcements followed, and found that

not many were alive of the defenders or

taken the Fortin of the Bois Sabot.

reformed, Westminster Garette.

the assaulting forces, but the Legion had

Thus died the Legion, that corps to which General Deligny said, more than fifty years ago: "Soldiers of the Legion,

the folds of your flag are not broad spough

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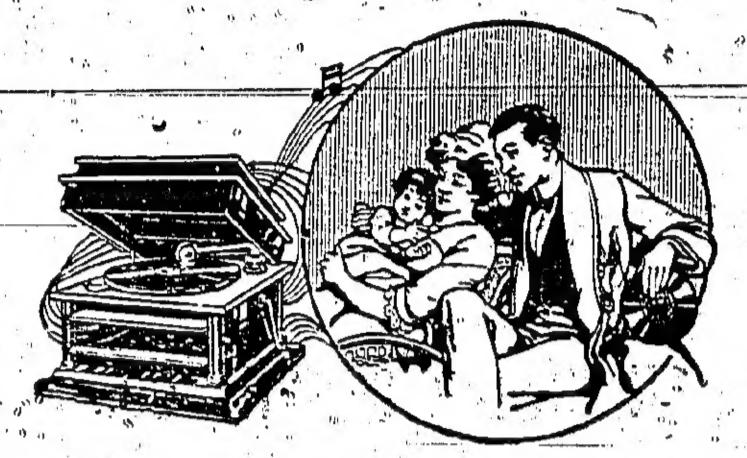
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The annual report stated that the only change in the executive committee was the resignation of Mr O. H. Ritter, Vicedeparture from Shanghai. During the year the Committee held nine business meetings, at which various matters of THE Undersigned having been appointed interest affecting the American community AGENTS for the COVIE HARBOUR were discussed and, when deemed advisincreased American representation upon the Shanghai Municipal Council, the cases the negotiations were of such a nature

side the Company's wharf where there is a by enlarging upon them-in-the report. minimum depth of 27 to 28 feet at low . The present membership of the Asso-

> deceased gentlemen. The matter of providing suitable government buildings in Shanghai for the American Consulate-General, the U.S. Court for Chica, and other Government offices had received the attention of the Association. An item for the purchase of a site and buildings at a cost of \$375,000 U.S. cur-Consular Appropriation Bill as reported to their merchants saved the humiliations of from the sides, but the line never faltered. r ney was included in the Diplomatic and the House of Representatives during the 1915. last session, but failed on account of the

appropriation will be made.

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this unfortunate state of affairs. There was an improvement in the demand for On September 25 the Legionnaires broke their own risk. cotton goods in the spring, but it melted camp and moved into the second line of away in consequence of the strained con- trenches. The first line trenches were dition that the demands of Japan brought filled with colonial regiments, who were about. By the time this scare had in a leading the attack. The Legion was instructed to act as a reserve until further monarchical movement to disturb again the orders. At ten o'clock on the morning of the 25th the Celonisis climbed out of their confidence of the native banks, and merchants. The banks refused to issue the shelters and charged the German lines. credits needed to facilitate trade with interior ports for practically the whole line to pursue the feeing for the Legion year, and the business that had been done advanced under a heavy shell fire and

prisoners were already being escorted towards the rear. One of these prisoners The secretary read the report, which together with the balance sheet was passed shipments of flour to China, but the advance in the price of wheat and the scarcity | recognised the Legion and cried out to the of tonnage make it impossible to compete men: The Germans know you are in this with the native mills at present. Sundry imports from America are becoming more. evening the Legionnaires, were ordered to President of the Association, owing to his diversified and the interruption of shipments advance, and most of the advancing had to from Europe has led to increased business be done crawling on a l-fours. A heavy in American goods. Chemicals and food. products, metals, machinery, and electrical supplies are mentioned among the lines that have been in special demand. During the year the Pacific

Steamship Company discontinued their Oriental service and closed their offices the East. The steamers taken from this the trade have been transferred to the Atlantic. It is reported that one or more American lines will be established to run between rates in Manchuria, the Japanese demands | moment definite information on the subject Stramers calling at SEBATTIK or in China and the Scamen's Bill. The is wanting. The absence of American SANDAKAN exclusively for BILIMPO. committee did not deem it necessary or ships has during the year been a source of Teuch inconvenience and loss to American merchants that they could only hope that it would press home the fact of the heavy At Sebattik Steamers are berthed alongthat no good purpose would be served being without ships that fly the American The dawn of September 28 nahered in the ide the Company's wharf where there is a by enlarging upon them in the report. flag. American merchants in many cases fatal day in the history of the Legion. ciation stood at :- honorary, 2; resident, have not been shle to carry The Legion was instructed to charge the Charts of Sibulo Bay (Schattik Har- 80; non-residen, 81, making a total of 163, out their engagements by reason of earthwork, or fortin, in the Bois Sabot, During the past year death had claimed two not being able to secure tonnage, on the right of the famous Ferme Navariu, concerning the Port can be had on of the oldest and best known members of as shipping companies of other nationalities which was regarded by the German the Association and their loss would be discriminated in favour of their own engineers as one of the strongest in their keenly felt: Mr. John Ferris Seaman died peoples. It has not been a matter of entire line of defence. About 3.30 in the first come first served, but, first and last afternoon the Legionnaires left the shelter | THE SHARE CERTIFICATE No. 4209 the space has gone to the merchants whose of the woods. Twenty per cent. of their ____ for Twenty-five shares numbered 4901. Shanghai on December 11. Appropriate nationality was that of the ships. This is original effective had fallen under the shell- to 4925 inclusive, standing in the Register 1627 resolutions were passed by the committee a matter which the Association has fire without a shot having been fired by in the name of Frank Barrington Desconand forwarded to the relatives of the repeatedly brought to the attention of the the Legion, and they were eager to charge. having been lost. Notice is hereby given American authorities and it is to be hoped - In columns of two, under a heavy rain that unless the said Cartificate be produced that the conditions which the war in Europe of shrapuel, they started for the position at the Office of the Company 5 Queen's has so emphatically brought to the attention they were ordered to take Changing into Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on onof the people at home conditions which single file, and quickening their pace into a | before the Third day of February, 1915, a di ectly affect American s ade, even to the rapid trot, the Legionnairos charged across new Certificate for the said shares will be isextent of taking it out of American hands the devastated no man's land between the sued and the old Certificate will thereafter and presenting it to their competitors two lines, straight into the fortio. A heavy be held by the Company as null and roid. will hesten the day when Americans shall stream of lead from machine guns and r fles again see their ships in these ports, and caught them from in front and raked them

> While the American Government sends one sweep of a giant scythe, but others financial retrenchment policy of the Govern- commissions and special agents to report on leaped forward into their places. ment. The effort to obtain an appropriations for the purpose of stimution had, however, been again renewed lating foreign trade, it is a subject for and the American community was assured wonderment that obstacles continue to of the support of a number of prominent hamper a merican shipping. Instances can members of the national legislature, who be given where American merchants have been set for the Legion, but each man who Littue in Hongkong and by F.R.J. Adams visited Shanghai during the summer, and, had to caucel contracts and to see their went down fell facing forward. Nothing and Markerall Wood, (under the style of while here, inquired most carefully into business taken dut of their hands by com- could check the onalought of the Legion. Thomas, Anama and Wood) in Canton during the present session of Congress an their country which have been closed to lead was so thick that f iling men were will henceforth be conducted by the others. Notwithstanding the publicity that turned over and rolled along the ground Undersigned. Referring to trade, the report said that has been given to this state of affairs, it like dead leaves driven before a late autumn the year had not been staveurable one for would appear that even more is wanted to the ough it, and reached the barbed wire firm will be carried on at their Offices in A low exchange and advancing freight seeking foreign trade while ignoring the entanglements. The wire-cutters were lost Hongkong and Canton as heretofore. rates on the one hand, and the absence of requirements necessary to make it or thrown away, but with butta of rifles a a normal demand at this and accounted for successful. When three members of way was pounded through Congress, Messrs Saulsbury, Britten and Edmonds w r in Shanghai they were given one man got through the entanglements an opportunity to address a gathering of and he fell heidlong into the trench with a American citizens and all of them expressed | bullet through-his knee. Other men were surprise to find the extent of their lack of at his heels, however, and lesped into the knowledge concerning the Ear East; all desired trenches. Those who reached their

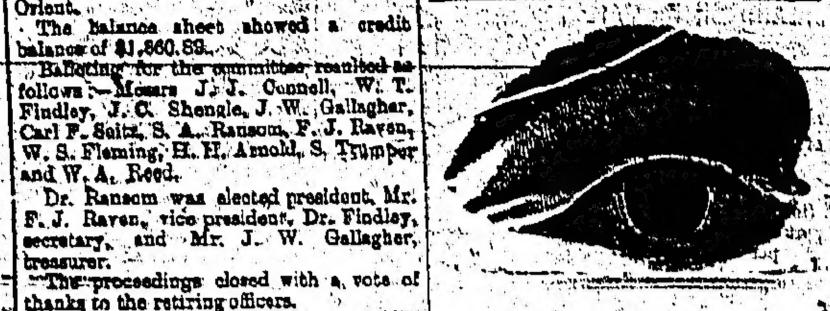
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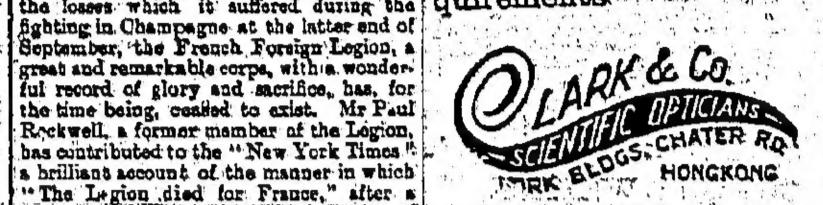
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D.A.A. & Q M.G. China Command. Hongkong, Jan. 8, 1916.

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sent in before the 27th February, 1916. Forms may be had on application. R.M. DYER.

Chief Manager. flongkong, Dec. 20, 1915.

ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUE

PROVIDED that sufficient entries are forthcoming the British Section of and the Germans steadily fell back, the Kowloon Carton, RAILWAY have Twilight found the Legion in a stretch of kindly offered to present a CUP for a woods, where the men spent a quiet but Lodies Singles, match play (competition wet night. About noon the next day the under handlesp to be played over the fog lifted, and an enemy scropline, flying FAN LING Course on d ye other than over, discovered the hiding place of the SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS and PUBLIC

Entries should be sent IN WRITING to the Undersigned and will be received up o the 16th instant.

T. W. HILL, Acting Hon. Secretary. Hougkong. Jan. 5, 1915.

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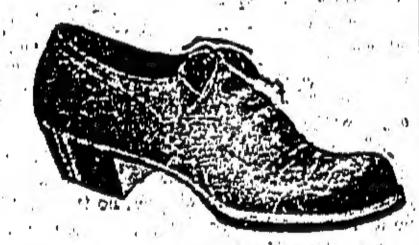
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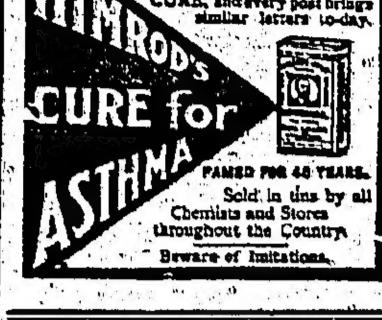


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THE REAL PROPERTY.

Oils:—Shells have again been bloked at 87.8 and a few more shares are obtainable. Ural Caspians have seen done locally at 35, but are not obtainable from London under 38.0. Langkate close with probable buyers in Shanghai at Tla 35g.

Remeries:—China Sugara are slightly firmer with sales and buyers at \$ 27.

Luzous continue in gleeted and could probably be obtained an something less than the nominal quotation of \$37. Mining:-Kailana have been booked at 30/4, and Tropohs at 27/, the latter closing in further request Raubs are wanted at \$3.35. As announced in the local press, the crushing for the past four weeks, as wired by our Singapore agents, is 1,111

the preceding period. Docks, Whome's and Godowns;-Hong, kong and Wanmpos Docks have been booked at 8363 for the old cum rights, and at 8785 for the old ex rights, and at 8785 for the new, more shares being wanted at the latter rates. "Kowloon Wharves are also firmer with huyers at 377% for on-hafter sales at 377 and at 378 for settlement delivery. In the North there are buyers of New Fugineerings at Tla 9. Shanghai Docks at Tla 59, and Shanghai and Hong-kew Wharves at Tla 925.

ounces as compared with 1 170 cunios for

Lands, Hotels and Buildings :- Central Estates are wanted at \$103 and Hongkorg Lands at \$104, both companies being due for final dividends shortly. Humphreys Estates have sold at \$61 and are obtainable at this figure. Kowloon Lands are in request at \$40 and West Points at \$78, a new lease of the latter's property at an enhanced rental b-ing accountable for the

audden advance in this quotation.

Cotton Mills:-Kung Yiks have beer booked at Tla 141 and Shanghai Cottons at Tla 91. In the North there are buyers of Ewos at Tis 1471, Internationals at Tis 72, Kung Yiks at Tie 141, and Yangtszsepoos at Tis 53. Laou Kung Mows and Soy Chees are quoted nominal at Tis 71 and Tis 432 respectively.

Miscellaneous :- Coments have ruled erratic with sales at varying rates from \$10.20 to \$10.50, closing with sellers at the latter rate. China Providents have advanced to \$10 buyers, and Trams to \$5.35 buyers. Ropes have declined to \$32 sellers, and Dairy Farms to a buying quotation of

Memo .- Next Settling day-January

THE FREIGHT MARKET.

Since the resumption of business after the New Year holidays, local stocks have, with few exceptions, gained further strength, interest again being centred chiefly in Douglases and Indos, in which a large business has been done, and further Meesrs Snowman and Co., ship and reight brokers of Hongkong, in their circular dated 8th January say :-'substantial advanues established. At the

ward delivery. Standard Tin has advanced fixtures is the increasing scarcity of prompt bo first for cash and £175 for 3 months delivery, and Plantation Rubber to 4/3; and 4/2 for spot and 6 months' delivery respectively. Bar Silver closes at 26 d. Sterling T.T. at 1/11, Shanghai T.T. at 74; and Singapora T.T. at 82;. The Banks' buying rate for 3 d/s bills on Shanghai now stands at 75;. The Banks' buying rate for 3 d/s bills on Shanghai now stands at 75;. Plongkong and Shanghais have ruled dull with small sales at \$800, market closing with probable sellers at this rate.

Marins Insurances:—Unions have been booked at \$910 and are in further request. Cantons, North Chinas and Tangtasos are unchanged, and without business to re-port.

Tire Insurances:—Chinas have improved to a buying quotation of \$152 after sales, and Hongkongs could probably be placed'at Shipping:—Douglases have been in Saigon accepting a part cargo for very to £174 for cash and £175 for 3 months | boats. Although Saigon has been suquiring

Shipping:—Douglases have been in Saigon accepting a part cargo for very strong request throughout the interval, and prompt loading at 30 cents and a regular with few sellers in evidence, the rate has liner at 33 cents, while an "outsider" risen rapidly to \$114 cash, \$115 for settle-getting free there by the middle of this ment delivery, and \$118 for March, the month was fixed at 35 cents per picul. At market closing strong with more chares the close the local rice market is devoid in request at these figures. Indo-Chinas of animation, but there is sure to be a in sympathy with a rising London market fresh demand shortly to load some New have also advanced rapidly, and close in Crop rice at Saigon just before Chinese strong request at \$174 cash for the New Year to arrive here shortly after the Combined, \$56 for the Preferred reparate holidays.

ly, and Si21 for the Deferred. A large Quotation stands for Jarus y/February but nothing payable being obtainable business has been done in the Combined shipment at \$4.11 per picul f.o.b. Saigon. outward owners will not look at such and Deferred, and more shares are wanted Saigon/Philippines:—No actual charter freights at present.

Bangkok/Hongkong:—The berth rate has risen to 50/43 cents for loading inside/ ontside bar respectively, and with the Steamboats have been booked at \$200. Faigon/Java:—The prohibition of export anticipated demand, which is sure to set in and more shares can be placed at this of rice has as yet not been raised. There since New Crop rice is now coming in more shares can be placed at this of rice has as yet not been raised. There has been some enquiry for forward loading, freely, the rate abould considerably stiffen with the market advancing.

Dalny/Canton — No fresh business has

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SHARE REPORT.

Messrs. Vernon and Smyth in their

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Abscesses, Ulcars, Scrofulous and Ulcerated Sores, Glandular Swellings, Blood Poison etc.

TILL You are in the grip of Rhou-Gout, etc.

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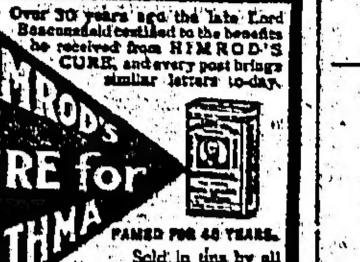
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close the market generally is firm with a strong demand for the aforementioned shares at full rates for both cash, and for only reason for the comparatively shortlist of fixtures is the increasing scarcity of prompt.

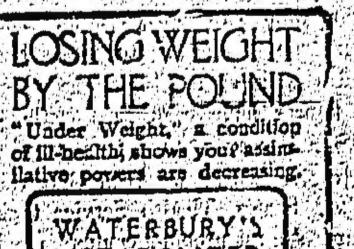
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'exceedingly firm for any size prompt and forward loading. Fixtures Reported: — Meji/Hongkong Yen: 3.25, Tourane/Capton \$4.75, Hai-phong/Swatow \$5.50, (Sw., Cur.) and Hongay/Swatow \$5,25/\$5.50 per ton.

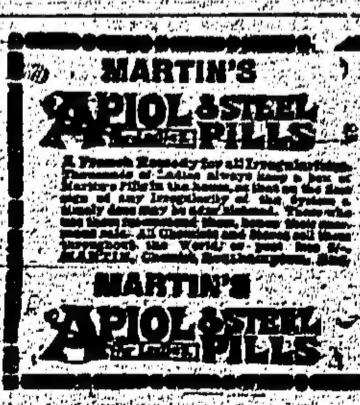


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GWENDOLINE, wife of E. BURES PYR

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, Jan. 8, 1916.

A RATLESS CITY.

WE in Hongkong have been trying

for nearly a quarter of a century to

ride this Colony of rats, because flea-

infested rats are recognised to be the

carriers of plague. Despite, however,

ment staff, it is doubtful if the rat

population of the Colony has been

appreciably diminished. At least, that

is the impression we have gathered

from Dr. CLARK's latest reports,

statistical experts are not yet equal

to the task of taking an annual census

of the rat population. The fact that

in recent years may be reasonably due

to greater activity on the part of the

rat-catchers, as well as to the growing

appreciation by the population of the

danger of allowing such verminous

creatures to inhabit their homes.

While there are no Pied Pipers of

Hamelin whose services are at com-

mand in these more prosaic days to

charm rats from their holes and lead

them to their deaths by drowning

us who dwell in a Colony where all

efforts to extirpate the rat population

efforts have succeeded. It is claimed

plague made its appearance in New

succeeded in entirely ridding the city

the total number of cases was 37.

Apparently none were fatal. The

Health authorities, we read, im-

campaign "which sought to prove

taken in hand at its inception

is scarcely more dangerous than

measles. All of the last twenty cases

treated with serum were completely

cured within a week. " It must have

been a very different type of bubonic

plague to that with which we are

acquainted in Hongkong, for of the

percentage of deaths to cases has

been the same in Hongkong when

the figures have been in the thou-

United States Health Service took

charge of a rat-proofing campaign and

and a comprehensive set of ordinances

Council for the purpose of enforcing

the Health Service. There was full

result, the rat problem is declared to

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THE DIARY.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. 9 a.m. Exersion to Macao by s.s. - * Taishan

at in the harbour, it is of interest to Championship Semi-final of Golf Fanling.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, Jan. 11:-2.30 p.m.-Auction of Blackwood ware Furniture, Brasses, etc., at Messra. Hughes and Hough's.

"SATURDLY, Jan. 22:-Entries close for the Races.

City Hall.

MONDAY, Jan. 31 :-9.15 p.m.-Piano Recital by Mr. Denman Fuller, F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M., in the

THE

OVERLAND

THE BEST WEEKLY NEWS. PAPER FOR ALL INTERESTED 144 cases reported last year no IN HONGKONG AND CHINA fewer than 140 proved fatal. The GENERALLY.

ORDER TIT BEFORE GOING sands. However, to return to the IN preventive work, we read that the HOME; AND THUS KEEP CLOSE COLONY. was passed by the New Orleans City

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"China Mail' Office.

Orleans. The United States Government is now willing to co-operate with any community that will seriously undertake a war of extermination We may very well doubt whether they would succeed as well in a city like our own, inhabited by a people like the Chinese, who are not so readily influenced by the educational efforts of hygienists; but the New Orleans experiment should not be with out its lessons for the Chinese people. Our authorities have done in Hongkong all the things that what is lacking here is the want of co-operation by the people, through ignorance of the elementary principles of hygiene which it will take years to inculcute. As our readers are awaregreat attention has been paid for some years past to the teaching hygiene in the schools of Hongkong, and efforts have been made to educate the adult population by means of Letures and pumphlets. But ours, it must be remembered, is not a sel contained population, like that of most European and American cities; there MAUGHAN. -On December 31, Shanghai, is a constant stream of people coming in from China whose domestic habits defeat all the efforts of our annitarians

> Hougkong a ratless city. NEWS OF THE DAY

to keep Hongkong' free of the flea-

the success of the Sanitary Depart-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The total rainfall in Hongkong for the month of December was 0.775 inches.

An accountant of a goldsmith's shop nt 314 Queen's Road Central is reported to have absconded with \$600.

The theft of jewellery, money and clothing valued at \$149 is reported from all the efforts of our Sanitary Depart-254 Queen's Road Central.

> The various North Atlantic Cable Companies" have decided ato temporarily auspend the "deferred telegram" service.

"The Chinese Telegraph Admini-trathough it seems impossible to be tion's new Wireless Station at Foochow is now open for general public correspondconfident on the point, since our nce with ships at sea.

The launch Hung Lee, plying between of the Ta Huang Ti should be deified and Aberdeen and Hongkong, foundered at the assigned a " seat," in the Temple of more rats than ever have been caught Aberdeen Wharf this morning, apparently Kunng Yu and Yuch Fei, the National luck that Mr Tarby, his companion, was respecting the internal condition of this from the report for 1914 of the Customs through the overloading of salt fish.

The new Orders-in-Council regarding Merchant Shipping made on November 10th, and whose provisions have been previously summarised in the China Mad. are published in full in the current issue of the Government Gazette.

The Rules made under the Importation and Exportation Ordinance appear in the current issue of the Government Facette. and lists are published of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be consigned.

Mrs H. F. Carmichael has received upwards of \$600 as the result of the appeal have failed, to know that there are for funds to carry out a suggestion conveyed places in the world where similar in a letter from Sergt. Major Brayfield, that mosquito nets should be made by the for instance; by the United States ladies of Hongkong for troops in tropical To Huang Ti. The date of the Birth of Health Service that Since bubonic fly-infested countries.

The following notification appears in Orleans in June 1914, they have the current issue of the Hongkong Government Gazette :- "It is hereby notified that of rats, at a cost of "fifteen months' the post of Assistant Medical Officer. hard work and eight millions of still Kowloon, has been rendered vacant by the absence of Mr Pala Dara Raj Naidu withharder dollars." The disease in New but leave or reasonable cause, with effect Orleans was was of a mild type, and from the 17th December, 1915,

We are asked to state that yachts taking part in the race for the "Miranda" Cup to-morrow will fly a signal flag from the International Code of Signals in lieu of mediately, undertook an educational the usual racing flag, such flag to be kept flying throughout, the race. The flag selected will be communicated to members that the plague, if at the Club House on the morning of the

> Many residents at the Peak were obliged to use Shanks's pony this morning owing to the 8 a.m. upward Peak tram partly leaving the "rail near" the upper station. The depressor in some unaccoun table manner jumped the rails, and the rails. The service was not resumed till

BIG OPIUM SEIZURE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

A San Francisco despatch to the Asah reports that the T.K.K. steamer Seive Moru, for South America, has arrived at San Francisco from the Orient with \$500,000 worth of opinm dh board. The Oustoms authorities of the port seized and confiscated the opium. The Toyo Kisen Kaf ha has lodged a protest with the Wa hington Government on the matter.

TVERY young child is susceptible to croup. Don't wait until this droadful the rat-proofing regulations drafted by disease attacks your little one before you prepare for it. It comes in the night when chamists' shops the usually closed, and co-operation of all interests, and as a this along should be a warning. Get and keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on hand. It never fairs, acts quickly and is whooping cough, and that it contains no have been permanently solved for New | absolutely barmless. For, sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

BY THE WAY.

. The trade of this Colony has naturally suffered through the war in many directions, but some very exaggerated views on the subject appear to be entertained by Germans who were exiled from Hongkong and are now residing in the Cours Ports. One idea they have is that since their departure house rents in the Colony have alumped enormously. Those of them who may still study the local share reports' must find, however, that this impression is rather difficult to reconcile with the quotations of shares of the Land and Building Companies. Their atten tion may this week be drawn particularly to the remark in Messrs. Vernon and the authorities did in New Orleans; Smyth's Report that there has been sudden advance in West Points due w a new lease of the property at an enhanced rental,"

> The Customs Commissioner at Canton in his Report for 1914 says: " Is was remarked; as an instance of the curious effect of panie on people's minds that, during the period of unkest in October and November there was a strong exodus of pussengers towards. Hongkong by steamer and, simultaneously, .. b heavy influx by train." In that year there arrived and departed by steamers under Customs supervision 1,552,498 passengers of passengers, inward and outward, by the Canton-Kowloon Railway, was, approximately, 600,000,

The strange occurrence on which the Commissioner remarks is espable of a ready explanation. It is that after the infested rathto whom we owe our outbreak of war the night service of the Pyr. - Nov. 29, suddenly, at Burgh Heath, annually-recurring plugue epidemics. Intentibouts had to be suspended owing to the harbour being closed after dark. That is one of the chief barriers to while the train services were continued us usual with only oversional interrapment's effort here, and we doubt if ions, if I remember rightly. another century of effort will make

> The information is chronicled in a Peking paper that Win order to comfort the spirit of the deceased father of the Emperor-elect, and to comply with the will of the people," the Ministries of the Interior and Finance have submitted joint Memorial to the Throne, requesting that the Temple of Yuan Ming-kung, the late father of the Ta Huang Ti, be reconstructed as the expense" of the Government. " The suggestion has, been approved by the Ta Huang Ti. Nothing, of course, must stand in opposition "the will of the people" in these democratic times in China.

Kwangtung is anxious to claim the new Emperor as being of Cantonese descent. I see that the Chiang Chun and the Governor of Kwangtung Province. in a joint, memorial to the Throne, state that Yuan Chung-huan (said to be the Ancestor of the President) was a "good" native of Kwangtung and achieved considerable military merits in his times. For this and other good reasons, it is requested that this Cantonese progenitor War Heroes, to share the worship, The memorial has been referred to the Bureau of Ceremony for consideration; but it cannot be said that their decision is awaifed by the mass of the people with breathless interest.

Foreign Powers may think that they influence affairs in China, but every Chinaman knows that it is the native Astrologer who really directs things. For week's past the world has been agog to know when the new Emperor is going to be enthroned. The Powers have hinted that some delay would be advisable, but a "certain" high official who enjoys reputation as a veracious astrologer says the signs and portents dictate the Fourth Day of the First Moon as the date of the Grand Ceremony. The wise one avers that this date corresponds most admirably with the prosperous age of the the Holy Master is understood to fall within the region of "Fire"; and the Fourth Day of the First Moon of the First Year of the new dynasty "belongs" to the element of wood or " Tree." Since Fire " comes out of "Tree," the astrologer declares with crushing logic that the Fourth Day of the First Moon of this year should be marked by the Event of the Accession of the Ta Huang Ti. And the official world of Peking says: " Amen. So be it."

OBSERVER

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE. PARADES 5.30 P.M. Uniform. Caps with Covers, Rifles and

mmunition. Monday January 10 .- No.2 Company. Tuesday January 11 .- All Recruits. Wednesday January 12.- No. 1 Com-Thursday January, 13.-No. 3. Com-

Friday January 14. - No. 4 Company and

COLLAB NUMBERS AND HELMETS. Collar numbers will be issued measurements for helmous will be made on these Parades. ORDERLY ROOM.

P.-Ca. are warned that they are forbidde to make enquires as to Parades, Patrole. etc., etc., at this office, either personally or by te'ephone. All such information must be obtained from Section, Platoon, and Company Commanders. URGENT NOTICE-MUSKETRY.

Inspectors and Sergeants are advised that the Shoot fixed for Sunday, January 9th, is heroby caucelled and will take place on Sunday next January 18th. (Sgd.) F. O. JINKIN.

D.S.P. (Reserve).

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER.

IN buying a cough medicine for children, L bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best for colds, croup and harmful drug. For sale by fall Chemists and Storekeepers

THE MAGISTRACY.

STEALING DRAIN PIPES. Two Chineso, charged by Det .- Sergeant

Wills with respectively steeling - and receiving from a store at Canton Road, Yaumati, 109 drain pipes and 46 balustrade supports, value 3462:35, were remanded. this morning.

OPIUM SMUGGLING.

A Chinese arrested on the Prays was fined \$800 or two months' by Mr. Hazeland this morning for unlawful possession of eight taels of prepared opium. He walked on two time of opium concealed under his socks.

THEFT OF ANTIMONY ORE.

"A Chinese junk master who pleaded guilty to the theft of 6,950 lbs. of antimony ore, value \$1,000, was sentenced by Mr. Hazeland this morning to six months' imprisonment and four-hours' stocks.

Det.-Sgt. Wills prosecuted, Mr Davidson representing the Mitsu Bussen Kaisha the owners of the ore.

It appeared that on January 3rd defendant took a cargo of 572 bags of antimony ore from West Point to the Bornea Mar lying at Kowloon. On the way he cut the (a decrease of 634,474), and the number | bags open and abstracted over 6,000 lbs. of the ore, stowing it in the bilges. shipmont was refused on account of the bags being cut, while the junk was taken

The defendant seemed concerned as to what would happen to his junk, but was told he could give his wife a power of attorney. He said that his wife was dead but Det.-Sergeant Wills said he had told him that she had run away.

SEQUEL TO MOTOR CYCLE

CHARGE OF FURIOUS DRIVING.

ACCIDENT:

Mr Hazeland at the Magistracy this morning resumed the hearing of the case n which Harry S. Komor, of 41 Rectioner Road, was summoned "for that he, on Sunday, December 19th, having charge of a motor bicycle, unlawfully and by wanton or furious driving did cause bodily harm to one Mrs Isaacs Turner, at Wongnei-

Mr W. E. L. Shenton prosecuted, and Mr Belilios," instructed by Mr J Gardiner, defended. Mr A.-L. Struthers, second engineer of the s.s. Fathan, said he was coming away from the European cametery at the time of the accident, When near the grand stand of the Jockey Ulub he saw a motorbicycle and side-car en the right-hand side of the road travelling towards Hongkong. Witness was on the left-hand side. Thirty yards behind was another bicycle, which oing at about 25 miles per hour. eard no warning sound. The next thing he saw was some soldiers running across the road, and an object lying on the road The motor-bicycle cleared off. He did not see defendant at the bouse to which the woman was taken. Witness was at the

house half-an-hour. By Mr Belilius :- It was by sheer good not knocked down by the second bicycle. country could not be compared for accuracy Mr Tarby pushed against witness, and said he would take the stick to the cyclist if he

could get hold of him. The hearing was adjourned.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.

THE EXPRESS TRAIN SERVICE.

We are asked to announce that the o'clock Express from Kowloon to Canton will be cancelled from to-morrow and its place an Express train will leave Kowloon at 2.50 p.m.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The appointment of 2nd Lieut R. J Stevenson, Hongkong Volunteer Reserve to be Lieutenant is gazetted.

Mr. E. Gaster, who was formerly in the service of the China Fire Insurance Co. in Hongkong has obtained a commission in the Northumberland Fusiliers.

Many friends in Horgkong will read with sorrow the announcement of sudden death of Mrs. Burns-Pye, who resided in Hongkong a few years ago.

An engagement is announced between Vivyen, only son of Commander Frederick Davies, R.N. Reserve (retired), of Shanghis, and Enid, only daughter of Mr Wareham Smith, of 91, Upper Tulss-hill, London.

A marriage has been arranged between Licutenant Thomas Arthur Pearson, R.N.D., only son of Mr and Mrs A. F. Pearson of Soldier's Point, Holyhead, and Rosemary Evelyn, only daughter of the late Arthur libert, of Shanghai, and of Mrs Hbert, 39, Egerton-gardens.

Wang and Mrs Hwang have been appointed on a pravious occasion. The Japanese as Lady Interpreters to the Imperial Court Minister, on behalf of his Government. of China. The former is the third daughter of Madame Sun Pao-chi, having studied in Germany and France when her father was he further requested the Authorities Minister to those countries; and the latter concerned not to misunderstand the nature who is the wife of Mr Hwang Yung liang. studied in a University in the United Governments of the other four Powers. States and lived in England and English Ccionies for a number of years. Mr Hwang was formerly Consul General in Australia and is now a member of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

DO YOU COUGH

ON'T overstrain the fine membrane of phlegm. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Government had offered certain con-will accomplish this for you, and cure the elderations. cold that is causing it. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

THE POWERS AND CHINA.

INTERPELLATIONS IN THE CHINESE PARLIAMENT.

The following report of the interpellations on the above subject in the Tsan

Cheng Yuan on December 39th is taken from the Paking Gaze'te :-At half past three, Mr Taxo Ju-lin, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, arrived. H was introduced by the Chairman. Mr

Tsao apologised for the Foreign Minister's inability to attend the meeting on account of pressure of business. In response to the interpellation made by the Tsan Cheng Yuan relating to the advice offered by the Quintuplice to the Government regarding the monarchical restoration, Mr Tsac stated that on the 28th of the 9th month of this year, three Foreign Ministers representing their respective countries called at should at once be despatched to the the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and there provinces. [This was subsequently done. they made a verbal communication to the Chinese Authorities. The communication was to she effect that according to informa tion in possession of the Japanese Government, there were signs of unrest and disturbance in the south-eastern provinces on account of the impending change of the form of government planned by the Chinese of the Far East and of the soversignty of China, the Powers concerned tendered their advice to the Chinese Government recom-The mending the postponement of the movement for a monarchical restoration. Mr Lu Cheng Haiang, Minister of Foreign Affairer roplied to the Representatives to the wharf, where the missing ore was the three Powers in the sense that the hange in the form of state was being carried out by the Government in stric

accordance with the provisions of the Constitutional Compute, seconding which the sovereignty of the Republic China was vested in the people and that as the change was first requested by the people, the Government coul do nothing but yield to the wishes of the people. On November 11 Minister Lu sent Vice-Minister Tead to the different Legations concerned to make a definite reply pointing out that the question of the change of Euc-ti was purely an internal affair of the country. He explained to each of the Foreign Ministers that the Government, fearing that the stifling. public-opinion-would cause-trouble, had ever since adopted a laiser faire attitude towards the monarchical movement, no interfering with it. The Acting LP Yuan then passed a law defining method by which the opinion of the people could be consulted. The President September 6 deputed a delegate to the Trac Cheng Yuan declaring the unsuitability of the change of Kuo ti ; and on October 10 a mandate was issued enjoining the provincial officials to carry out the election with due care. On the 18th of the same month telegraphic messages were sent by the President of the provinces, ordering the officials there to carry out the election in strict accordance with the provisions of the law. Following this, messages were also sent to the provincial officials regarding the situation in their respective passed on the left. The second bicycle was provinces. In reply to the inquiries of the Government, the provincial officials unanimously informed the Government of their ability to maintain the situation in their respective centres, and they further intimated that they could guarantee that there would be absolutely no unrest or disturbance. The provincial officials further stated that the information alleged to have been gathered by foreigners.

what the officials themselves had btsined : and they unanimously recommended the Government to adopt the monarchical form of government, as they thought that this countrywith such extensive an area and such density of population who were as yetvery poorly educated—is better fitted to be ruled under a monarchical regime than under any other form of government. It was further pointed out to the Foreign Ministers that according to the reports to hand from the provinces, the change of Kuo-ti was opposed only by a handful rabels and the desira was further expressed that as Burms and Annam are adjacent to the territory of this country, the Powers exercising jurisdiction over those two countries should take vigilant measures to prevent the Chinese rebels from taking rafuge in their respective territories. speaker then informed the House that on Nov. 8, M. Conty, the French Minister at Peking, tendered the same advice which Japan. Great Britain and Russia had tendered to the Government and two

days after, the Italian Charge d'Affaires sesociated himself with the Ministers of the other four Powers in tendering precisely the same advice to the Chinese Govern-

A DIPLOMATIC TEA PARTY. Minister Lu Chenghaiang then invited the Ministers representing the five Powers concerned to a "tes party", and communicated to them the result of the election throughout the country and further declars i that the Chinese Government would hold itself responsible for the maintenance of peace in the country. The Foreign Minist ters were further requested to communicate to their respective Governments that it was the desire of the Chinese Government to invoke their co-operation in suppressing rebal activities in places beyond the juris-

diction of the Chinese Government,

On December 15 the Ministers ro-

prenenting the Governments of the five

Powers concerned repeated their advice at the Wai Chiso Pu, and Minister Lu in reply stated that although the monarchical form of government was not yet formally restored, the result of the balloting to decide the change Kuo-ti had already been known and that it was the desire of the Chinese Government that the Powers concerned should respect the severeignty of this country by accepting the declaration, which had been made by the Government in response to their advice assured Minister Lu that the Japanese Government had no intention to interfere with the internal affairs of this country and of the advice. The same assurance was given by the Ministers representing the 360 tons. Mr. Tsao concluded by stating that these were the essential facts regarding what had transpired during the two visits of the Foreign Ministers to the Wal Chiao Pu in connexion with their advice.

THE "PRICE FOR RECOGNITION. After Mr Tsao had concluded his speech Mr. Wang Ying chuan saked what truth there was in the report published in the Japanese papers stating that for the your throat in trying to dialodge the recognition of the new Empire, the Chinese

assurance of non-intervention was given by the his average of passengers carried.

the Quintuplies to the Government before the rendering of the advice or afterwards. Mr Trao answered that it was contained in the last declaration of the Japanese

Mr. Lu Jusi-haien, also raked the Vice-Minister whether the request made by the British and Russian Governments for the country's adhesion to the Kutsute was in consideration of the recognition of the

Mr Tsao answered that these ques blobs were beyond the scope of the interpolistion and he was not authorised to answer such questions.

Mr. Teno then retired. Mr. Liang Shih yi, addressing the House, stated that the House would have to admit that the answers given by the Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs were clear and definite and that the facts related by the Vice-Minister to the House should be com municated to the provinces, requesting the provincial authorities to give the people to understand that the Foreign Powers had no intention to interfere with the internal affairs of this country. The motion was agreed to by the House and the Chairman announced that a telegram to this effect

THE OUTBREAK IN YUNNAN.

TROOPS ON THE MOVE.

one have been moving during the fortnight towards the Yunnan frontier, Although it is not yet publicly known what. plan of operations the General Staff has adopted with regard to the campaign, the general movement of troops throughout the country, says the Peking Gazette, seems to point to the gradual massing of a great cordon of troops round three sides of the province of Yunnan, leaving presumably the other side of the frontier to the French authorities to attend to. The belief in official circles is that since there is an agreemedit respecting the importation of arms into China across the Annamere frontiers, there is no fair of the rebels getting any supply from that quarter. The military authorities of Kwangtung, Kwangai, Kweichau, Hunan and Szechuen are known to have been instructed to despatch their troops to their respective borders; and the troops of Hunan will be despatched presently to the Yunnan border. To fill the breach created by the departure of the Human troops, the th Division and other troops of the North have been despatched southward to replace them. It may be thus inferred that the atrategic plan is rapidly to concentrate all the troops now available in provinces adjacent to Yunan in order as they are now stationed and attack Yunnan simultaneously when the "concentration is completed. This, it is presumed, will take some time as: the question of transport in the hilly country of Yunnan and Kwangsi is not an easy one

PACIFICATION TO PRECEDE WAR: It is reported, however, that the Ta Huang Ti still desires to settle the trouble. if possible, in a peaceful way. Various means are being adopted to bring the leading apponents of the new Empire in Yunnan to the acceptance of reasonable

CANTON RAILWAYS

The following information is taken Commissioner (Mr. F. W. Maze), which

has just been issued :-CANTON-KOWLOON BAILWAY.

The total number of passengers carried on this line during the year was, approximately, 2,100,000, including 600,000 through passengers. Goods traffic decreased somewhat, the amount of freight dealt with being 37,000 tons, against 42,600 tons during 1913, but the aggregate total receipts increased from \$784,000 to \$867,000. Owing to lack of sufficient rolling stock the local trains schedule was reduced from May till the end of September, when the arrival of three new engines allowed a resumption of the former time table. During July extensive damage was done to the line by floods, and, as a consequence, no trains could be run between Taishstow and Sheklung for a fortnight. This interruption in traffic is estimated to have made a difference of \$20,000 in the earnings. apart from the heavy cost incurred in repairing the permanent way and bridges on the section affected. A night service i through express trains, inaugurated during March, ran for three months, but on the 16th August the night express from Kowkon was detailed and looted by robbers in the vicinity of Santong, and the service was at once discontinued. The tobbers, numbering close on 200, had previously torn up two lengths of metal. with the result that the oncine left the track and crashed into the wall of a cutting. Only one of the passengers appears to have been injured, but a native guard: who attempted recistance. was killed and another wounded by the looters, who finally got away with a considerable amount of booty.

CANTON-HANKOW BALLWAY.

Owing, it is said, to lack of funds, less progress was made on this line than in previous years. The 12th section was completed, however, and traffic opened in May to the Wushek station, 122 miles from Canton, Work on the Chingfungting tunnel in the 18th section continues slowly, and the road bed in the 14th section is reported to be nearing completion. Each section represents a distance of 10 miles. The number of passengers carried daily is given as 6,200; and the amount of freight dealt with as

The Canton Samshui pranch of the Yuch-Han Railway continues to do well, the number of passengers carried daily being, approximately, 12,700. During June, owing to the heavy floods, the line between Fatshan and Samshui-was complotely submerged, traffic being suspended for more than a month. Generally speaking, railway traffic here does not seems to have been affected adversely by the war. On the contrary, the returns of the Canton-Rowloom line abow an in-Mr Chen Lutch also saked whether the crease from August onwards in the

WAR. THE

TELEGRAMS. TO-DAY'S

f Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

COMPULSION.

THE DEBATE IN PARLIAMENT

mons Mr. Samuel said he was con-

Mr. Barnes (Labour) said he knew

Mr. A. J. Balfour (First Lord of

the Admiralty) said that never bad

a debate on a controversial subject

feeling, genuine putriotism and deter-

mination to do what was best. That

night's division might do barm

abroad, but any impartial listener to

the whole alabate would be con-

vinced that never was a more united.

front shown by any country in cir-

successful issue.

abstained.

curnstances of great stress in regard

The Bill passed its first reading,

For the Bill' 408

Against 105

Majority 298

. The minority was composed of 5

Hon: Sir A. Mond. The Labourites

were divided and the O'Brienites

When the announcement of the

result of the-division was read there

were Itud cheers from the Khaki

members who waved handkerchiefs.

Mr. Asquith, while he walked down

the floor of the House, received an

The majority of the Labour mem-

bers of the House of Commons and

the National Labour Executive have

Bill in view of the decision of the

Mr. Henderson, interviewed, said

he did not intend to resign his seat,

Congress required him to oppose the

Bill, which he would continue to

The figures of the minority vote

against Compulsion show 60 Nation-

alists, 34 Liberals, and 7 Labourites.

Mr. Henderson, Mr. Roberts and

Mr. Brace (Labour members of the

FRENCH PRESS WARMLY

APPRECIATIVE.

The French Press is warm in its

appreciation of the adoption of the

principle of compulsion by Great

THE CONDUCT OF THE WAR.

"LORD LANSDOWNE REPLIES TO

CRITICISMS.

Lord Lansdowne, replying in the

House of Lords to criticisms on the

conduct of the war, said it must be

remembered that we had to consul

LONDON, Jan. 7.

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Government) did not vote.

but would have resigned had

Labour Congress.

LATER.

Nationalists, several Liberals, includ-

the voting being as follows:

London, Jan. 7.

GERMANY'S STRENGTH.

London, Jan. 7. The Times' Military Correspondent estimates that there are two millions of Germans on the Western front, a million on the East and 21 | Service Bill in the House of Commillions on the lines of communications, and in garrisons, etc., Ger- vinced of the necessity for the Bill many must find herself between May by the cold logic of facts. "A million and October unable to maintain the men could and must be spared. He birength of her effectives; therefore was convinced that the war could she is bound before then to force a only be won by hard fighting.

Recision on one front or the other.

The writer submits tentatively the that there was a strong feeling in conclusion that the defeat of Rus- his constituency against the Bill, but Bia may still be the control feature he was going to risk voting for the bi German strategy. If General von Bill. He had returned that day Mackensen's troops which have after a month spent in France. He hitherto been destined to support visited the lines from end to end. the Turks in Syria and elsewhere Men were in the trenches four days have been rushed back to stem and nights'at a stretch making cheer-General Ivanoff's attack then the ful but terrible sacrifices. The least Teuton-Turkish attack on". Egypt is we could do was to see that all young likely to lose the best season for such men living at home in comfort did pperations, or be launched minus their share. German troops.

WHAT RUSSIAN MILITARY EXPERTS THINK!

POSSIBLE BATTLE ON AN UNPRECEDENTED SCALE.

Pernograp, Jan. 7.

A communique says: +

. "We have occupied the cometery at Czartorysk and established ourselves in the captured portions of the to the great policy we were pursuing tenency 's positions north-east of Czarand would pursue to an absolutely

Russian military experts think the Germans may attempt an offensive between Pinsk and Smorgoni, in retaliation for the present Russian offensiver This would be to the advantage of Russia because the Germans would have to leave behind them formidable defences and safe winter quarters. Such a move would mean a battle on an unprecedented scale, namely plong, 800 miles of ing Mr. John Burns, and the Rt.

BRITISH SUBMARINE SINKS.

ENTIRE CREW OF 33 RESCUED

London, Jan. 7 The Admiralty appounces that a

British submarine sunk off Texel (N Holland) yesterday. The entire crew of 33 were rescued and brought to Helder by the Dutch cruiser Noord

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 7

Dutch correspondents learn from the crew that the British submarine lost its bearings and ran on Haaksgrow and sprang a leak ... "

The bluejackets are now in the Naval barracks.

WRECK AT FORMOSA.

London, Jan. 7.

It is reported that the steamer Australian Transport, ashore on the coast of Formosa, bas 23ft. of water in her No. 1 hold.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 7. The Norwegian steamer Fridt Icfuansen has been sunk. Two of the crew were drowned.

YICTORIAN WHEAT YIELD.

" "MELBOURNE, Jan. 7. Mr. Hagelthorn, Commissioner of Public Works, states that the Victorian wheat yield will probably be between 55,000,000 and 60,000,000 bushels surpassing all estimates.

POISON-GAS INSTALLATION DESTROYED.

A communique says: We suc- our Allies at every step; hence the cessfully bombarded the enemy's apparent hesitation with which the defences at Steenstructe, and Helsas. Government was sometimes charged. At Bossinghe Station, Bois le Euxau- If we treated our Allies as Germany mont, South Arms we shelled a treated hers the task would be simpler, but fortunately that was train as it was passing through.

was destroyed by gunfire in Cham- between us and them; thus respon threatened, and it is just as well to be on remarkable cures has galled a world wide pagne, north of Mavarin Farm, sibility for the direction of affairs was the rafe side and take Chamberlain's Cough reputation, and people everywhere speak of Remedy before it is too late. For sale by it in the highest terms of praise. It is for soverul reservoirs being blown up not undivided

London, Jan. 8: It is reported that the IRt. Hon. H. L. Samuel will succeed Sir John Simon as Home Secretary.

THE VACANCY IN THE CABINET.

BYE-ELECTIONS IN ENGLAND.

West Newington in the bye-election due to the elevation of Captain Norton to the Peerage....

Gilbert, County Councillor;

Mr. H. T. Mackenzie Bell wil

RECRUITING RE-OPENING.

LONDON, Jan. 7: for married as well as single men of volunteers; will come forward.

A Committee has been appointed to draft a scheme of amalgamation for the Trade Unions of the Iron and Steel trades.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

shown more fundamental unity of

COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE.

LABOUR OPPOSITION.

RAILWAYMEN'S OPPOSITION AMENDMENT, CARRIED.

LONDON, Jan. 6. The Railwaymen's amendment urging Congress to use every means in its power to oppose the Bill, and recommending that the Labour members of Parliament oppose it, was carried by 1,715,000 votes to 934,000.

The Labour Congress adopted as substantive motion an amendment opposing the Compulsion Bill by a

majority of 1,215,000 votes. LABOUR MINISTERS RESIGN

(President of the Board of Education), Mr. W. Brace (Under-Secretary to the Home Office), and Mr. George Roberts (Junior Lord of the Treasury) have resigned from the Ministry.

It is understood that they will vote for the Compulsion Bill to-night, despite the decision of Congress.

WITHDRAWAL FROM COALITION. The Labour Party decided to withdraw from the Coalition, hence the resignations of Messrs. Henderson;

TALK OF GENERAL ELECTION. There is some talk in political circles to go the country in order to strengthen the Government. If this happened it is stated that provision would be made for voters at the Front to

first reading of the Compulsion Bill by 493 votes to 105,

RE-OPENED.

open for enlistment under the Derby

THE SWISS BOURSE.

SECURITIES.

ZURICH, Jan. 7. On the Bourse, German exchange is quoted at 92, the lowest rate that has yet prevailed here. There has been frantic selling of German securities.

PRISONERS OF WAR.

London, Jan. 6. Law, Secretary of State for the Colonies, said it had been decided, with the concurrence of the Commonwealth Govern ment, to deport to Australia the prisoners of war and the enemy women and children interned in Hongkong.
They were expected to leave the Colony on the 15th inst.

ARRESTED SALONIKA CONSULS LIBERATED.

GREEK GOVERNMENT SATISFIED

Greek Government that the Consult

arrested at Salonika have been set free.

The Greek Government declared itself

[A previous telegram mentioned the

conveyance of the Consula to the Swiss

ALLIES AND GREECE.

In the House of Commons Sir Edward

Grey said that he did not think th

Allies' diplomatic situation in Greece

INTERESTING BYE-ELECTION IN

A most interesting bye-election

pending at St. George's, Hanover Square

owing to the elevationof Sir. B. Henderson to the peerage; Sir George Reid,

the official Unionist candidate, is op-

standing for "the full exercise of our

sea power and no interference with the

posed by Mr. [Gibson Bowles, who

action of the Fleet."

LONDON.

was other than satisfactory.

LONDON, Jan. 6.

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frontier.]

LONDON, Jan. 7. A tolegram from Athens says that the Entente Ministers have informed the

Folling takes place on Monday at

The candidates are :- Liberal, Mr. Unionist, Mr. Terrett, who opposes restrictions on the sale of drink in In the debate on the Compulsory London.

> contest St. George's, Hanover Square, in the Liberal interest:

It is unnounced that the group system will be re-opened on Monday and it is hoped that a large number

A TRADES UNION AMALGAMATION

London, Jan. 7.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

BIG ANTI-COMPULSION MAJORITY...

The Labourites, Mr. Henderson

Brace, and Roberts, although they are supporters of the Bill. decided to oppose the Compulsion of the possibility of a General Election owing to the Labour Congress vote. It is stated that if the situation became strained the Premier would not hesitate

> record their votes. " The House of Commons passed the

RECRUITING OFFICES TO BE

The recruiting offices on Monday re-

FRANTIC SELLING FOF GERMAN

REMOVAL OF HONGKONG

In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar

OURE THAT COUGH.

"An entire poison-gas installation not the kind of relations prevailing consumption of that you are going to have in reason so far as we can see why you All Chemists and Stotokespers.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by I laut.-Col. A.

WINLD OPERATIONS OTH JANY. Machine Gun Company will parade to-

living in Hongkoug.

Dress. Khaki drill jacket and shorts, putties, black boots (Officers brown boots). (empty) and ride.

Parades for Monday, 10th itst. 7 a.m and 5.30 p.m.-Members of Signalling Section and other Signallers, as detailed in Signalling Section order dated 8.12.15—Morse flag and Morse lamp practice at Headquarters.

Scouts Company will parade next week as follows :-Tuesday, 11th Jan. -5.15 p.m. -M. G. Section of No. 4 Section, Machine Gun drill at Headquarters.

Section, Bayonet fighting at Headquarters.
Thursday, 13th January 5.15 p.m.:
M. G. Section of No. 2 Section, M. G. drillan Headquarters. Remainder of No. 2 Section, Rayonet fighting at Headquarters.
Friday, 14th January 5.15 p.m.: M. G.
Section of No. 3 Section, M. G. drill at Headquarters. Remainder of No. 3 Section, Bayonet fighting at Headquarters.

NOTABLE AUSTRALIAN ENLISTMENTS.

- MELDOURNE, Jan. 6. The Antarctic explorer, Dr. Mayson; the Legislator, Hon. Mr. McDonald, of New South Wales; and Mr. Staniforth Smith, Administrator of New Guines, have enlisted.

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THE "PERSIA" DISASTER.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

Persia disaster: -Saved, 166; drowned, Co.

Following are the official figures of the

ITALIAN LINER'S ARMAMENT

NEW YORK, Jan. 7. The Italian liner Guisappe Verdi has arrived here baving two 4-inch guns mounted at the stern. It is probable that the Government will request that the guns be dismounted before the ship leaves American waters:

PROHIBITED EXPORTS.

FURTHER AMENDMENTS.

The current issue of the Hongkong Government Gazette contains a Proclamation amending the pravious one relating to Ground on Friday the 14th inst. at 5.15. prohibited export as follows :-

(1.) That the exportation of the follow ing goods be prohibited to all destinations other than the United Kingdom and British Possessions and Protecto-

Cinchons bark, quining and Metal cylinders such as are used for containing compressed oxygen or

(2.) That the heading "Oil, blast fur nace (except creosote and creosote tion of which is prohibited to all to be worn. "destinations other than the United Kingdom and British Possessions and Protectorates be deleted, and there b inserted in the list of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through the Baltic ports) Italy, Spain and Portugal, the heading "Creosote and creonote oils (including blast furnace oil) except wood tar oil (the exportation of which is already prohibited to all destinations other than

the United Kingdom and British Pos-

sessions and Protectorates)." (3.) That the heading "Woollen and worsted cloth suitable for uniform clothing, not including women's dress stuffs or cloth with pattern,", in the list, of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations other than the Us ted Kingdom and British Possessions and Protectorates deleted, and there be inserted in the list of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Maditerranean and Black Sear, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports), Italy, and Portugal, the heading "Cloth of all kinds manufactured of wool or hair (except khaki woolen the exportation of which is already prohibited to all destinations other than the United Kingdom and British Possession and Protectorates). 4.) That the sub-beading "Herrings, cured or salted, in barrels or cases, including dry salted herrings and herrings in brine," in the list of goods the all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports). Italy, Spain and Portugal, be deleted, and there be substituted therefor the sub-heading "Fish of all kinds, whether cured,

salted or fresh. " (5.) That the exportation of the following goods he prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal :- Arrowroot.

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PARADES.

Remainder of No. 4 Section, Bayonet

fighting at Headquarters.
Wednesday, 12th January, 5.15 p.m.:—

On duty until morning of 15th inst.— No. 2 Section Arty. Batty. Officer on duty: Capt. W. M. Scott.

P. of W. Camp, Kowloon :-On duty to night: Scouts Company
Officer on duty: Lieut: Murphy. On duty to-morrow night : Scouts Company. Officer on duty : Capt. Stewart. On duty 10th inst .: Scouts Company. Officer on duty : Capt. Hutchison. Orderly Sergeant until morning of 15th inst. Sargt. Hegarty.

HONGKONG YOLUNTEER RESERVES.

Major Wakeman Commanding H.K.Y.R.

P. of W. Camp, Kowloon: Saturday 15th inst. Secs. 1 and 2 of . Sunday 16th inst. Secs. 1 and 2 of B Co. Monday 17th inst. Secs. 1 of C Co. Tuesday 18th inst. Secs. S and 4 of A

Wednesday 19th inst. Secs 3 and 4 of B

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Thursday 20th inst. Secs. 1 of C Co. "B" Co. will parade on the Cricket Ground on Monday the 10th inst. at 5.15

p.m. Dress : drill order. "O" Co. will parade on the Cricket Ground on Wednesday the 12th inst. at 5.15 p.m. Dress : drill order, "A" Co. will parade on the Cricket p.m. Dress drill order.

quarters on Wednesday the 12th inst. 5.15 p.m. under Sgt. Major Cooke. Dress: drill order. Recruits will parade on the Cricket Ground on Monday the 10th inst. Wednesday the 12th inst., and Thursday the 13th ibst. at 5.15 p.m. under Sergt.

"D" Co. will parade at Volunteer Head-

Major Bond. Dress: drill order. The Signalling Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday the 10th inst. Wednesday the 12th inst., and oil)," in the list of goods the exporta- Friday the 14th inst. at 5.15 p.m. Uniform

Pte. K. W. Bean, having joined is allotted Corps No. 570 and posted to Co. O" Sec. 3. Pte. N. E. Kent, having joined, is allotted Corps No. 571 and posted to Co. "Pts. H. H. Tayler, baving joined, is

alloted Corps No. 572 and posted to Co. Pte. A. Course, having joined, is allotted Corps No. 573 and posted to Co. !t.D." Pto: P. Glendenning, having joined, is siletted Corps No. 574 and posted to Co. B." Fection 4. Pte. W. S. Glendenning, having joined, allotted Corps No. 375 and posted to Co.

"B" Section 4-

Corps No. 576 and 'posted to Co. "C' FIELD EXERCISES. " Field exercises will be carried out by C' Co. on Sunday the 16th inst. Further

Pte. J. Carr. having joined, it allotted

orders will be is ued.

To-day's Advertisements HONGKONG AND WRAMPOA DOOK CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE GENERAL MEETING of the Company which was adjourned, on the 13th day of December last will be continued on MONDAY the 17th day of exportation of which is prohibited to January, 1916 at 12 o'clock Noon at the Offices of the Company in Hongkong when the Resolution for the adoption of New Articles will be proceeded with. Dated the 6th January, 1916.

> P. M. DYER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, Jan. 8, 1916. ROWLOON CANTON BAILWAY.

NOTICE IMPORTANT ALTERATION OF EXPRESS TRAIN.

THE PUBLICIS HEREBY NOTIFIED that on and from SUNDAY, January 9th and until further notice the Express THERE is no use of our "beating around Train simed to ienve Kowkoon for Canton the bush." We might as well out at 4.00 pm. is cancelled and in its place

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Hongkoug, Jan. 5, 1925. (Continued on page 8,)

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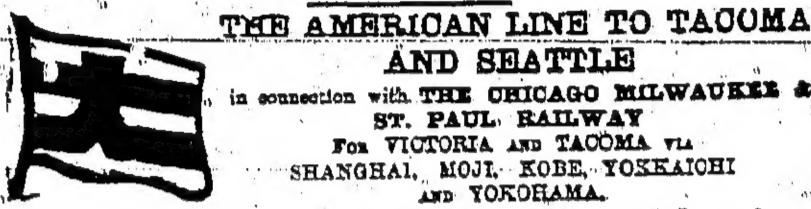
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Hongkong, Dec. 31, 1915.

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The Australian Oriental Line a.s. Changsha Devawongse, for Saigon. left Sydney for Hengkong via usual Chenan, for Shangtai. Australian and Philippines ports on Albiana, for Cuinwangtao, 24th Dec., and may be expected to Tamon Maru, for Moji. arrive here on or about the 18th Jan. Kuckhow, for Haiphong,

Latest Advices.

The Australian Oriental Line s.s. Changeha left Port Darwin for Hongkong, via Manila, on 6th December, and may be expected to arrive here on nor About the 18th December.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Kathlamba from Manila reports : Jan. 6th, strong monsoon and heavy sea. The British steamer Nellogs from Sings. Mr. R. Ulsen, Miss Arnold, Mr. M. Mac-

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January 7. Kathlamba, British str., 4,103, C. G. Smith, New York and Manila January 4, General.—Shewan, Tones & Co. Ceylon Maru, Japanese str., 3,077, K. Fujino, Moji Jan. Z. General. N. Y. K. Eucichow. British str., 1,220, Forsyth,

Hoilo and Manila Jan. 4, Sugar and General - Buttering & Swift. Tsingtau Maru, Japanese str., 2,510, K. Takashima, trom Chinwangtao, Coal --DODWELL & Co., LD.

Henrik Ibsen. Norwegian str., 2,959, C. Svendsen, New York nov. 2, General.— INDRA LINE. Albiana, British str., from Canton.

January 8. Hymn, 109 Responses, Festal; Psalms, Nellere, British steamer, 4,700, A. King, Davy, Pymar, Cuseley; Magnificat, Bombay Dec. 18, and Singapore Jan. 2, W. A. Chant No. 398; Nunc Dimit- Mails and General, P. & U. S. N. Co. Hanoi, French steamer, 739, F. Morvan, Haiphong and Fort Bayard Jan. 7, General.

-A. R. MARTY. Pening Maru, Japanese str., 3,261, S. Kushibiki, Kobe Dec. 31, and Moji Jan. 3, General.—N. Y. K. Anhui, British str., 1,258, G. W. Eedy, Shanghai Jan. 5. General. - BUTTERFIELD

Hunga, British str., 1.143, Wm. Mc-Bonals, Hongay Jan. 5, Coal, BUTTER-

FIELD & SWIEL.

Tamon Maru No. 8, Japanese steamer, ,828, Y. Fujita, Milke January 2, Coal.— Tong Hong, British steamer, 1,314, F. J

Prynn, Saigon Jan. 3, Rice.—CEINESE. Hong Bee, British steamer, 2,056, J. Willsher, Penang and Singapore Jan. 1, General .- CHINESE.

Antilochus, British steamer, 5,805, G. A. Flynn, Snanghar January 5, General .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hopsing, British steamer, 1,359, C. A.

Robertson, Shanghai Jan. 2, General,-JAEDINE, MATHEBON & Co., Lid. Chenan, British str., from Canton. Chiquen, Chinese str., from Canton,

> DEPARTURES. January 8.

Moresby, for Saigon. Kaifong, for Pakhoi and Haiphong. Saigon Maru, for Singapore and Bombay. Helenus, for Nagasaki and Yokohama. Loksang, for Hothow and Haiphong. Kutsang, for Shanghai and Kobe. Rashing, for Swatow. Chinachow, for Port Parseval. Yes Maru, for Canton. Quarta, for Bangkok. Kiyo Maru, for Japan and Chili, Ynensang, for Manila,

Anhui, for Cauton.

Chiyuen, for Shanghai. CLEARED.

Nellore, for Shanghai and Yokohama. Henrik Ibsen, for Vladivostock. Tikembung, for Ishanghai and Milke. heign Mary, for Quinhon. Prometheus, for Bangkok. Tsington Maru, for Chinwangtao. Mongara left Singapore for this port Veylon Maru, for Singapore and Calcutta. here on the 13th January, at about 2 Kohing Mary, for Moji. Anna, for Bangkok.

> Daijip Maru, for Swatow and Tameul. PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Nellors, for Hongkong : from London, Miss Selis, Rev. Norton, Mrs Foulds and 2 children, Mrs Lachlan, child and amah, Mrs Heanly and child, Mr Mylchreest, Mr Brooks; from Marseilles, Mr Crostwaite : from Aden, mr S. S. Murray ; from Bombay, Mr Osborne, Mr L. Y. Cho. Miss B. Aguina; from Singapore, Mr Taylor, Miss Blagg, Mr and Mrs Rece, Mr D. R. Sheldon, Mr A. L. Allan, Mr L. M. Hain

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Per Mishima Maru, at 11 a.m., on

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Per *Hopsang, at 5 p.m., on Monday,

Per Yei Mara, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday,

SHANGHAL NORTH CHINA, JAPAN

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Per Haitan, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the

Per Chinhua, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the

STRAITS & INDIA VIA CALCUTTA.

p.m. Letters at 1 p.m., on Tues-

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

Singapore, Mongara, 13th Jan. ..

THE Undersigned have received instructions from THE REGISTRAR SUPREME Court to sell by Public Auction.

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> child, Mr Cwen Hughes. Per P. & O. s.s. Khyber. From London Dec 11 .- Mr Feenley. Por N. Y. K. s.s. Miyazaki Maru. From London Dec. 18.-Mr H. West, Mrs Henderson and infant, Mr C. H. Gale.

Per P. & O. s.s. Medina. From London Dec. 24. - Mrs A. Hamilton. Per N. Y. K. z.s. Kitano Maru. From London Jan. 1.—Mr and Mrs Roberts. Per P. & O. s.s. Mongolia. From Lonon Jan. B .- Mr A. Turner. STRAITS, COLOMBO, DURBAN CAPE

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